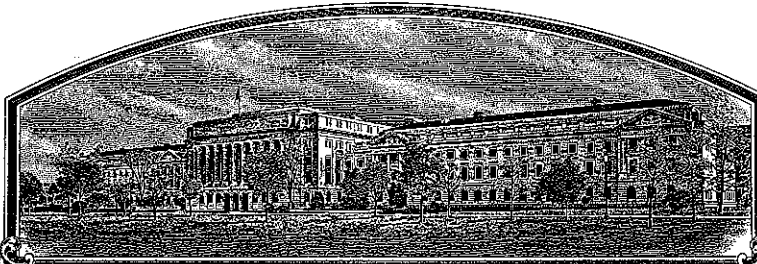


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THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

TO ALL TO WHOM THESE PRESENTS SHALL COME:

Progeny Advanced Genetics, Inc.

Whereas, THERE HAS BEEN PRESENTED TO THE

Secretary of Agriculture

AN APPLICATION REQUESTING A CERTIFICATE OF PROTECTION FOR AN ALLEGED DISTINCT VARIETY OF SEXUALLY REPRODUCED, OR TUBER PROPAGATED PLANT, THE NAME AND DESCRIPTION OF WHICH ARE CONTAINED IN THE APPLICATION AND EXHIBITS, A COPY OF WHICH IS HEREUNTO ANNEXED AND MADE A PART HEREOF, AND THE VARIOUS REQUIREMENTS OF LAW IN SUCH CASES MADE AND PROVIDED HAVE BEEN COMPLIED WITH, AND THE TITLE THERETO IS, FROM THE RECORDS OF THE PLANT VARIETY PROTECTION OFFICE, IN THE APPLICANT(S) INDICATED IN THE SAID COPY, AND WHEREAS, UPON DUE EXAMINATION MADE, THE SAID APPLICANT(S) IS (ARE) ADJUDGED TO BE ENTITLED TO A CERTIFICATE OF PLANT VARIETY PROTECTION UNDER THE LAW.

NOW, THEREFORE, THIS CERTIFICATE OF PLANT VARIETY PROTECTION IS TO GRANT UNTO THE SAID APPLICANT(S) AND THE SUCCESSORS, HEIRS OR ASSIGNS OF THE SAID APPLICANT(S) FOR THE TERM OF TWENTY YEARS FROM THE DATE OF THIS GRANT, SUBJECT TO THE PAYMENT OF THE REQUIRED FEES AND PERIODIC REPLENISHMENT OF VIABLE BASIC SEED OF THE VARIETY IN A PUBLIC REPOSITORY AS PROVIDED BY LAW, THE RIGHT TO EXCLUDE OTHERS FROM SELLING THE VARIETY, OR OFFERING IT FOR SALE, OR REPRODUCING IT, OR IMPORTING IT, OR EXPORTING IT, OR CONDITIONING IT FOR PROPAGATION, OR STOCKING IT FOR ANY OF THE ABOVE PURPOSE, OR CONDITIONING IT FOR PROPAGATION, OR STOCKING IT FOR ANY OF THE ABOVE PURPOSE, OR USING IT IN PRODUCING A HYBRID OR DIFFERENT VARIETY THEREFROM, TO THE EXTENT PROVIDED BY THE PLANT VARIETY PROTECTION ACT. (84 STAT. 1542, AS AMENDED, 7 U.S.C. 2321 ET SEQ.)

LETTUCE

'Cyclone'



In Testimony Whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the seal of the Plant Variety Protection Office to be affixed at the City of Washington, D.C. this fourteenth day of February, in the year two thousand and six.

Attest:

Commissioner
Plant Variety Protection Office
Agricultural Marketing Service

Secretary of Agriculture

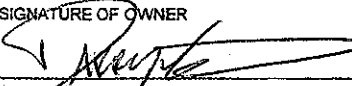
U.S. DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE
AGRICULTURAL MARKETING SERVICE
SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY - PLANT VARIETY PROTECTION OFFICE

The following statements are made in accordance with the Privacy Act of 1974 (5 U.S.C. 552a) and the Paperwork Reduction Act (PRA) of 1995.

APPLICATION FOR PLANT VARIETY PROTECTION CERTIFICATE

(Instructions and information collection burden statement on reverse)

Application is required in order to determine if a plant variety protection certificate is to be issued (7 U.S.C. 2421). Information is held confidential until certificate is issued (7 U.S.C. 2426).

1. NAME OF OWNER PROGENY ADVANCED GENETICS, INC.		2. TEMPORARY DESIGNATION OR EXPERIMENTAL NAME PX 408		3. VARIETY NAME CYCLONE	
4. ADDRESS (Street and No., or R.F.D. No., City, State, and ZIP Code, and Country) 1536 B MOFFETT ST SALINAS CA 93905-3342		5. TELEPHONE (include area code) 831-751-6030		FOR OFFICIAL USE ONLY PVPO NUMBER 20030005 FILING DATE 12/9/2002	
		6. FAX (include area code) 831-751-6032			
7. IF THE OWNER NAMED IS NOT A "PERSON", GIVE FORM OF ORGANIZATION (corporation, partnership, association, etc.) CORPORATION		8. IF INCORPORATED, GIVE STATE OF INCORPORATION CALIFORNIA		9. DATE OF INCORPORATION 12/26/94	
10. NAME AND ADDRESS OF OWNER REPRESENTATIVE(S) TO SERVE IN THIS APPLICATION. (First person listed will receive all papers) DARRYN GIBSON MANAGER OF RESEARCH AND DEVELOPMENT PROGENY ADVANCED GENETICS, INC 1536 B MOFFETT ST SALINAS CALIFORNIA 93905				FILING AND EXAMINATION FEES: \$ 2705.00 DATE 12/9/2002 CERTIFICATION FEE: \$ 682.00 DATE 11/3/2005	
11. TELEPHONE (include area code) 831-751-6030		12. FAX (include area code) 831-751-6032		13. E-MAIL DMAN@PROGENY.COM	
14. CROP KIND (Common Name) LETTUCE		15. GENUS AND SPECIES NAME OF CROP LACTUCA SATIVA		16. FAMILY NAME (Botanical) COMPOSITAE	
17. IS THE VARIETY A FIRST GENERATION HYBRID? <input type="checkbox"/> YES <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> NO		18. CHECK APPROPRIATE BOX FOR EACH ATTACHMENT SUBMITTED (Follow instructions on reverse)		19. DOES THE OWNER SPECIFY THAT SEED OF THIS VARIETY BE SOLD AS A CLASS OF CERTIFIED SEED? See Section 83(a) of the Plant Variety Protection Act <input type="checkbox"/> YES (If "yes", answer items 20 and 21 below) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> NO (If "no", go to item 22)	
20. DOES THE OWNER SPECIFY THAT SEED OF THIS VARIETY BE LIMITED AS TO NUMBER OF CLASSES? IF YES, WHICH CLASSES? <input type="checkbox"/> FOUNDATION <input type="checkbox"/> REGISTERED <input type="checkbox"/> CERTIFIED		21. DOES THE OWNER SPECIFY THAT SEED OF THIS VARIETY BE LIMITED AS TO NUMBER OF GENERATIONS? IF YES, SPECIFY THE <input type="checkbox"/> FOUNDATION <input type="checkbox"/> REGISTERED <input type="checkbox"/> CERTIFIED NUMBER 1,2,3, etc. (If additional explanation is necessary, please use the space indicated on the reverse.)		22. HAS THE VARIETY (INCLUDING ANY HARVESTED MATERIAL) OR A HYBRID PRODUCED FROM THIS VARIETY BEEN SOLD, DISPOSED OF, TRANSFERRED, OR USED IN THE U.S. OR OTHER COUNTRIES? <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> YES 12/31/01, U.S.A <input type="checkbox"/> NO IF YES, YOU MUST PROVIDE THE DATE OF FIRST SALE, DISPOSITION, TRANSFER, OR USE FOR EACH COUNTRY AND THE CIRCUMSTANCES. (Please use space indicated on reverse.)	
23. IS THE VARIETY OR ANY COMPONENT OF THE VARIETY PROTECTED BY INTELLECTUAL PROPERTY RIGHT (PLANT BREEDER'S RIGHT OR PATENT)? <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> YES PLEASE SEE ATTACHED <input type="checkbox"/> NO IF YES, PLEASE GIVE COUNTRY, DATE OF FILING OR ISSUANCE AND ASSIGNED REFERENCE NUMBER. (Please use space indicated on reverse.)		24. The owners declare that a viable sample of basic seed of the variety will be furnished with application and will be replenished upon request in accordance with such regulations as may be applicable, or for a tuber propagated variety a tissue culture will be deposited in a public repository and maintained for the duration of the certificate. The undersigned owner(s) is(are) the owner of this sexually reproduced or tuber propagated plant variety, and believe(s) that the variety is new, distinct, uniform, and stable as required in Section 42, and is entitled to protection under the provisions of Section 42 of the Plant Variety Protection Act. Owner(s) is(are) informed that false representation herein can jeopardize protection and result in penalties.			
SIGNATURE OF OWNER 		SIGNATURE OF OWNER			
NAME (Please print or type) DARRYN GIBSON		NAME (Please print or type)			
CAPACITY OR TITLE MANAGER OF RESEARCH AND DEVELOPMENT		CAPACITY OR TITLE			
DATE		DATE			

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February 26, 2002

Darryn Gibson
Progeny Advanced Genetics
1536 B Moffet Street
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Re: U.S. Provisional Patent Application No. 60/339,808
Title: Lettuce Variety PX 408
Inventor(s): Nathan K. Olivas; Nathan J. Olivas
Filing Date: December 14, 2001
Our Ref.: 087558-0103

Dear Darryn:

Enclosed is the following in regard to the above-identified application.

The Provisional Filing Receipt:
Serial No.: 60/339,808
Filing Date: December 14, 2001

We will keep you informed of further developments as they occur. If you have any questions regarding this application, please do not hesitate to contact us.

Best regards,



Richard C. Peet
Nina Osseiran

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Exhibit A**Details of the Development of the Variety Cyclone**

Cyclone is a unique romaine lettuce variety developed from a hand pollinated cross of Darkland Cos and Major Cos made in 1993 in the San Joaquin Valley. The F1 seed harvested was designated as Gamma # 035. Darkland Cos, a dark green PIC type available from Central Valley Seed was selected as a source of dark color. Major Cos, developed by Genecorp Seed was a source of weight and adaptability. The cross was made, and by the incorporation of the pedigree selection breeding method we developed a dark green, slow bolting romaine variety.

Approximately 50 plants of the F1 seed were planted in a San Joaquin Valley production field for seed increase in 1994. The F2 seed was harvested in August 1994, labeled 94035.

Line 94035 was planted in 1996 in a San Joaquin Valley research production block. Individual plants were selected at market maturity for distinctions in type, size, color and maturity. The particular selection labeled PSR95400-47 stake # 422-1 was noted to be extremely dark in color, have an unusually thick leaf texture, and be significantly shorter and more compact than the remainder of the plants in the block. The selected plant was allowed to mature and the F3 seed from the selection was harvested individually.

The F3 seed from selection number PSR95400-47 stake #422-1 was increased in our 1997 SJV research production block. The block was evaluated and rogued at market maturity removing any visible off-types. The selected remaining plants exhibiting the dark color, thick leaf texture and compact growth habit were allowed to self pollinate and the F4 seed was harvested in bulk in the fall of 1997. The F4 seed was labeled SJ97-Stake #842C-W.



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The F4 seed was evaluated in research and development plot trials during the 1998 growing season in the Salinas Valley of California and Yuma Arizona, where it exhibited excellent uniformity demonstrating the selected traits. Recommendation for increase was made, and the F4 seed was planted in our San Joaquin Valley Research production field in 1999. The block was planted and identified as Stake #99B1550. The line was evaluated and rogued first at market maturity, where it was noted as uniform, demonstrating the desired selected traits. Selective rogueing was done, removing earlier maturing plants. The F5 seed was harvested in bulk.

The F5 line was identified as PX 408 in January of 2000 and was trialed through out the Salinas Valley where it demonstrated excellent uniformity in terms of size, type and maturity. The variety, during this trialing period was identified and preliminarily tested for the developing whole leaf and baby leaf lettuce markets. The F5 seed was then increased in our 2000 San Joaquin Valley commercial production field as Stake #00K574. The variety was noted as uniform and stable without variants. The F6 seed was harvested in the fall of 2000.

During the remainder of 2000 and 2001 further trials and tests were conducted for the romaine whole leaf market, through a patented process. The variety tested extremely well, offering thick heavy leafs uniform in size, shape and color. During this same time period trials for the baby leaf market were also conducted, where it also tested extremely well. Based on this trial performance the F6 seed was again increased in our 2001 production and the F7 seed was harvested in September of 2001. Cyclone as observed in multiple field trials and in our seed production crops, has been uniform, stable, and without variants for 3 generations. Seed from this variety was first sold on December 31, 2001, no harvested material from this variety was sold prior to this date.

Exhibit B
Statement of Distinctness

Cyclone is a new and distinct variety of romaine lettuce, that most closely resembles Darkland Cos. This variety is distinguished by its distinct plant height, which is shorter than typical romaine. Cyclone is also distinct as it produces thicker leaves with a darker color, and a more uniform size than other romaine varieties.

The following characteristics distinguish Cyclone from its parent variety Major Cos:*

1. Cyclone is darker in color than Major Cos. Cyclone measured 7.5 gy4/6 and 7.5 gy4/4 versus Major cos with a color rating of 5gy 4/6 and 5gy 4/8
2. Cyclone averages 4 days later maturing than Major Cos
3. Cyclone has a statistically significant shorter heart length
4. Cyclone has a statistically significant shorter head length
5. Cyclone has a statistically significant smaller frame diameter
6. Cyclone has a statistically significant shorter leaf
7. Cyclone has a statistically significant thicker leaf

Additional distinctions as cited in their respective Exhibit C documentation:

Characteristic	Cyclone	Major Cos
Cotyledon shape	Spatulate	Intermediate
Cotyledon leaf undulation	Flat	Medium
4 th leaf reflexing	None	Lateral margin
Leaf thickness	Thick	Intermediate
Bolter leaves	Curved	Straight
Bolter leaf margins	Dentate	Entire

The following characteristics distinguish Cyclone from its parent variety Darkland Cos:*

1. Cyclone is darker in color than Darkland Cos. Cyclone measured 7.5 gy4/6 and 7.5 gy4/4 versus Darkland Cos with a color rating of 5gy 5/6 and 5gy 4/8.
2. Cyclone is typically 2-6 days later maturing than Darkland Cos.
3. Cyclone has a statistically significant shorter head length
4. Cyclone has a statistically significant smaller frame diameter
5. Cyclone has a statistically significant shorter leaf
6. Cyclone has a statistically significant thicker leaf

Additional distinctions as cited in their respective Exhibit C documentation:

Characteristic	Cyclone	Darkland Cos
Cotyledon shape	Spatulate	Broad
Cotyledon leaf shape	Elongated	Oval
Anthocyanin distribution	Absent	Throughout
Cotyledon leaf cupping	Slight	Uncupped
Margin undulation	Moderate	Absent
But midrib	Moderate raised	Flat
Bolter leaves	Curved	Straight
Bolter leaf margins	Dentate	Entire
Bolter terminal inflorescence	Present	Absent
Bolter basal side shoots	Absent	Present

The following characteristics distinguish Cyclone from the variety King Henry:

1. Cyclone has a smother leaf surface than the variety King Henry. The leaf surface of King Henry is described as heavily savoyed or blistered, where as the leaf surface of Cyclone is described as moderately savoyed or blistered.
2. Cyclone is darker in color than King Henry. Cyclone measured 7.5gy4/6 and 7.5gy4/4 versus King Henry with a color rating of 5gy 4/6.
3. Cyclone is a shorter growing plant than King Henry. On average King Henry averages a plant height of 270 cm's. On average, Cyclone averages a plant height of 251 cm's.

The following characteristics distinguish Cyclone from the variety Frontier Cos:

1. Cyclone has a more savoyed leaf surface than Frontier Cos. The leaf surface of Frontier is described as smooth, where as the leaf surface of Cyclone is described as moderately savoyed or blistered.
2. Cyclone is darker in color than Frontier. Cyclone measured 7.5gy4/6 and 7.5gy4/4 versus Frontier with a color rating of 5gy5/6.
3. Cyclone produces a higher yield of useable leaf product than the variety Frontier. On average Cyclone will produce 1.61 finished 10 pound cartons of leaf product from a single tray of 24 plants. Frontier on average produces on average 1.11 finished 10 pound cartons of leaf product from a single tray of 24 plants.

*All data is supported statistically as seen in the following tables of trial results conducted in the Salinas Valley in the 2001 and 2002 growing seasons.

These characteristics are distinct and offer a significant advantage for whole leaf processing by increasing the percent recovery during the patented post harvest process. These characteristics also offer an advantage for the baby leaf lettuce market.

The leaf thickness prevents mechanical damage that can occur during the leaf removal and washing processes, increasing the percentage useable product from the plant.



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The whole leaf market specifies strict leaf sizing for acceptable product. The leaf size of a typical romaine is larger than what is acceptable in the whole leaf market. To get leaves of acceptable sizing, the larger outer leaves and the smaller inner leaves must be discarded. Due to the short growth habit, and uniform leaf size of Cyclone, this variety produces a high number of leaves that fall within this specified range of acceptance. This distinction is of economic benefit as more of the product from each plant can be processed.

U. S. Department of Agriculture
Agricultural Marketing Service
Science and Technology Program

OBJECTIVE DESCRIPTION OF VARIETY
LETTUCE *Lactuca saliva*

Exhibit C

NAME OF APPLICANT (S) PROGENY ADVANCED GENETICS, INC.	FOR OFFICIAL USE ONLY 200300054
ADDRESS (Street and No. or R.F.D. No., City, State, and ZIP Code) 1536 B MOFFETT STREET SALINAS CALIFORNIA 93905	VARIETY NAME
	EXPERIMENTAL DESIGNATION

Place numbers in the boxes for the characters which best describe this variety. Measured data should be the mean of an appropriate number (at least 10) of spaced plants. Royal Horticultural Society or any recognized color standard may be used to determine plant colors.

The location of the test area is: **SALINAS VALLEY, CALIFORNIA** Color System Used: **MUNSELL**

1. PLANT TYPE: (See list of suggested check varieties page 4.)

04

01-Curting/Leaf
02-Butterhead
03-Bibb
04-Cos or Romaine

05-Great Lakes Group
06-Vanguard Group
07-Imperial Group
08-Eastern (Ithaca) Group

09-Stem
10-Latin
11-OTHER

2. SEED:

1

COLOR
1-White (Silver Gray)
2-Black (Gray Brown)
3-Brown (Amber)

1

LIGHT DORMANCY
1-Light Required
2-Light Not Required

1

HEAT DORMANCY
1-Susceptible
2-Not Susceptible

3. COTYLEDON TO FOURTH LEAF STAGE: NOTE: Provide a color photograph or photocopy of the fourth leaf from 20 day old seedling grown under optimal conditions.

3

SHAPE OF COTYLEDONS:

1-Broad

2-Intermediate

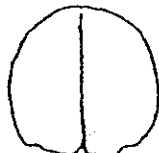
3-Spatulate

4

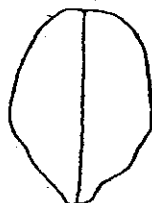
SHAPE OF FOURTH LEAF:



1



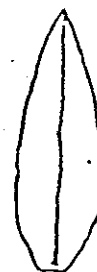
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5



6

18

LENGTH/WIDTH INDEX OF FOURTH LEAF: LW x 10

1

APICAL MARGIN:

1-Entire

4-Moderately Dentate

7-Lobed

4

BASAL MARGIN:

2-Crenate/Gnawed
3-Finely Dentate

5-Coarsely Dentate
6-Incised

8-OTHER (specify)

1

UNDULATION:

1-Flat

2-Slight

3-Medium

4-Marked

4

GREEN COLOR:

1-Yellow Green
2-Light Green

3-Medium Green
4-Dark Green

5-Blue Green
6-Silver Green

7-Gray Green

ANTHOCYANIN:

1

DISTRIBUTION:

1-Absent
2-Margin Only

3-Spotted
4-Throughout

5-OTHER (specify)

1

CONCENTRATION:

1-Light

2-Moderate

3-Intense

1

ROLLING:

1-Absent

2-Present

2

CUPPING:

1-Uncupped

2-Slight

3-Markedly

1

REFLEXING:

1-None

2-Apical Margin

3-Lateral Margins

4. MATURE LEAVES (observe harvest-mature outer leaves):

NOTE: Provide color photo of harvest-mature leaves which accurately shows color and margin characteristics.

MARGIN:

<input type="checkbox"/> 1	INCISION DEPTH: (deepest penetration of the margin)	1-Absent/Shallow (Dark Green Boston)	2-Moderate (Vanguard)	3-Deep (Great Lakes 659)
<input type="checkbox"/> 1	INDENTATION: (finest divisions of the margin)	1-Entire (Dark Green Boston)	3-Deeply Dentate (Great Lakes 659)	5-OTHER (specify)
<input type="checkbox"/> 2	UNDULATION OF THE APICAL MARGIN:	1-Absent/Slight (Dark Green Boston)	2-Moderate (Vanguard)	3-Strong (Great Lakes 659)
<input type="checkbox"/> 5	GREEN COLOR:	1-Very Light Green (Bibb)	3-Medium Green (Great Lakes)	5-Very Dark Green
		2-Light Green (Minetto)	4-Dark Green (Vanguard)	6-OTHER
ANTHOCYANIN (grown at or below 10 C):				
<input type="checkbox"/> 1	DISTRIBUTION:	1-Absent	3-Spotted (Calif. Cream Butter)	5-OTHER (specify)
		2-Margin Only (Big Boston)	4-Throughout (Prize Head)	
<input type="checkbox"/> 2	CONCENTRATION:	1-Light (Iceberg)	2-Moderate (Prize Head)	3-Intense (Ruby)
<input type="checkbox"/> 2	SIZE:	1-Small	2-Medium	3-Large
<input type="checkbox"/> 2	GLOSSINESS:	1-Dull (Vanguard)	2-Moderate (Salinas)	3-Glossy (Great Lakes)
<input type="checkbox"/> 2	BLISTERING:	1-Absent/Slight (Salinas)	2-Moderate (Vanguard)	3-Strong (Prize Head)
<input type="checkbox"/> 3	LEAF THICKNESS:	1-Thin	2-Intermediate	3-Thick
<input type="checkbox"/> 1	TRICHOMES:	1-Absent (smooth)	2-Present (spiny)	

5. PLANT (at market stage. Choose a comparison variety appropriate for this type.):

<input type="checkbox"/> 3	<input type="checkbox"/> 4	SPREAD OF FRAME LEAVES:	<input type="checkbox"/> 3	<input type="checkbox"/> 8	cm This Variety	cm DARKLAND COS (specify comparison variety)
<input type="checkbox"/> 3	<input type="checkbox"/> 4	HEAD DIAMETER (market trimmed with single cap leaf):	<input type="checkbox"/> 3	<input type="checkbox"/> 8	cm This Variety	cm DARKLAND COS (specify comparison variety)
<input type="checkbox"/> 4		HEAD SHAPE:	1-Flattened	3-Spherical	5-Non-Heading	
			2-Slightly Flattened	4-Elongate	6-OTHER	
<input type="checkbox"/> 1		HEAD SIZE CLASS:	1-Small	2-Medium	3-Large	
<input type="checkbox"/> 2	<input type="checkbox"/> 4	HEAD COUNT PER CARTON				
<input type="checkbox"/> 7	<input type="checkbox"/> 7	HEAD WEIGHT:	<input type="checkbox"/> 8	<input type="checkbox"/> 6	g This Variety	g DARKLAND COS (specify comparison variety)
<input type="checkbox"/> 2		HEAD FIRMNESS:	1-Loose	3-Firm		
			2-Moderate	4-Very Firm		

6. BUTT (bottom of market-trimmed head):

<input type="checkbox"/> 3	SHAPE:	1-Slightly Concave	2-Flat	3-Rounded
<input type="checkbox"/> 2	MIDRIB:	1-Flattened (Salinas)	2-Moderately Raised	3-Prominently Raised (Great Lakes 659)

7. CORE (stem of market-trimmed head):

<input type="checkbox"/> 3	<input type="checkbox"/> 9	mm Diameter at base of head	
<input type="checkbox"/> 8	<input type="checkbox"/> 7	Ratio of head diameter/core diameter	
<input type="checkbox"/> 4	<input type="checkbox"/> 9	Core height from base of head to apex:	
		mm This Variety	mm DARKLAND COS (specify comparison variety)

8. BOLTING (Give First Water Date MAY 3, 2002):

NOTE: First Water Date is the date seed first receives adequate moisture to germinate. This can and often does equal the planting date.

<input type="checkbox"/> 6	<input type="checkbox"/> 2	Number of days from First Water Date to seed stalk emergence (summer conditions):	<input type="checkbox"/> 6	<input type="checkbox"/> 6	This Variety	DARKLAND COS (specify comparison variety)
<input type="checkbox"/> 2		BOLTING CLASS:	1-Very Slow	3-Medium	5-Very Rapid	
			2-Slow	4-Rapid		
<input type="checkbox"/> 1	<input type="checkbox"/> 1	Height of mature seed stalk:	<input type="checkbox"/> 1	<input type="checkbox"/> 2	cm This Variety	cm DARKLAND COS (specify comparison variety)

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☒ 2 ☐ 9

Spread of Bolter Plant (at widest point):

cm This Variety

☒ 3 ☐ 6

cm DARKLAND COS

(specify comparison variety)

☒ 2

BOLTER LEAVES:

1-Straight

2-Curved

☒ 2

MARGIN:

1-Entire

2-Dentate

☒ 3

COLOR:

1-Light Green

2-Medium Green

3-Dark Green

BOLTER HABIT:

☒ 2

TERMINAL INFLORESCENCE:

1-Absent

2-Present

☒ 2LATERAL SHOOTS:
(above head)

1-Absent

2-Present

☒ 1

BASAL SIDE SHOOTS:

1-Absent

2-Present

9. MATURITY (earliness of harvest-mature head formation):

NOTE: Complete this section for at least one season.

SEASON	Applic. 1/ # of days	Check 2/ # of days	CHECK VARIETY 2/
Spring	<input type="checkbox"/> 8 <input type="checkbox"/> 9	<input type="checkbox"/> 8 <input type="checkbox"/> 5	DARKLAND COS
Summer	<input type="checkbox"/> 6 <input type="checkbox"/> 6	<input type="checkbox"/> 6 <input type="checkbox"/> 2	DARKLAND COS
Fall	<input type="checkbox"/> 7 <input type="checkbox"/> 0	<input type="checkbox"/> 6 <input type="checkbox"/> 8	DARKLAND COS
Winter	<input type="checkbox"/> 9 <input type="checkbox"/> 8	<input type="checkbox"/> 9 <input type="checkbox"/> 2	DARKLAND COS

Give planting date(s), and location(s):

Spring MARCH 10, SALINAS VALLEY CA

Summer JUNE 27, SALINAS VALLEY CA

Fall AUG 24, SALINAS VALLEY CA; SEPT 22, YUMA AZ

Winter FEB 4, SALINAS VALLEY CA

1/ First water date to harvest.

2/ Fill in check variety name on the appropriate line.

10. ADAPTATION:

PRIMARY REGIONS OF ADAPTION (tested and proven adapted):

(0=Not tested

1=Not Adapted

2=Adapted)

☒ 2

Southwest (Calif., Ariz. desert)

☒ 2

West Coast

☐ 0

Northeast

☐ 0

Northcentral

☐ 0

Southeast

☐ 0

OTHER

SEASON:

☒ 2

Spring (area SALINAS VALLEY)

☒ 2

Fall (area SALINAS VALLEY, YUMA)

☒ 2

Summer (area SALINAS VALLEY)

☐ 0

Winter (area SALINAS VALLEY)

☐ 0

GREENHOUSE:

0=Not tested

1=Not Adapted

2=Adapted

☒ 3

SOIL TYPE:

1-Mineral

2-Organic

3-Both

11. DISEASES AND STRESS REACTIONS (0=Not tested; 1=Susceptible; 2=Intermediate; 3=Resistant; 4=Highly resistant; 5=Tolerant):

VIRUS

- ☒ 1 Big Vein
☒ 1 Lettuce Mosaic
☐ 0 Cucumber Mosaic
☐ 0 Broad Bean Wilt
☐ 0 Turnip Mosaic
☐ 0 Beet Western Yellows
☐ 0 Lett. Infectious Yellows
☐ Other Virus _____

FUNGAL/BACTERIAL

- ☒ 1 Corky Root Rot (Pythium Root Rot)
☒ 2 Downy Mildew (Races _____)
☒ 5 Powdery Mildew
☒ 2 Sclerotinia Rot
☐ 0 Bacterial Soft Rot (Pseudomonas spp. & others)
☐ 0 Botrytis (Gray Mold)
☐ OTHER _____

INSECTS

- ☐ 0 Cabbage Looppers
☐ 0 Root Aphids
☐ 0 Green Peach Aphid
☐ Other Insect _____

PHYSIOLOGICAL/STRESS

- ☒ 5 Tipburn
☐ 0 Salt
☒ 5 Heat
☐ 0 Brown Rib (Rib Discoloration, Rib Blight)
☐ 0 Drought
☐ OTHER _____
☒ 2 Cold

POST HARVEST

- ☒ 5 Pink Rib
☒ 5 Russet Spotting
☒ 5 Rusty Brown Discoloration
☒ 5 Internal Rib Necrosis (Blackheart, Gray Rib, Gray Streak)
☒ 5 Brown Stain

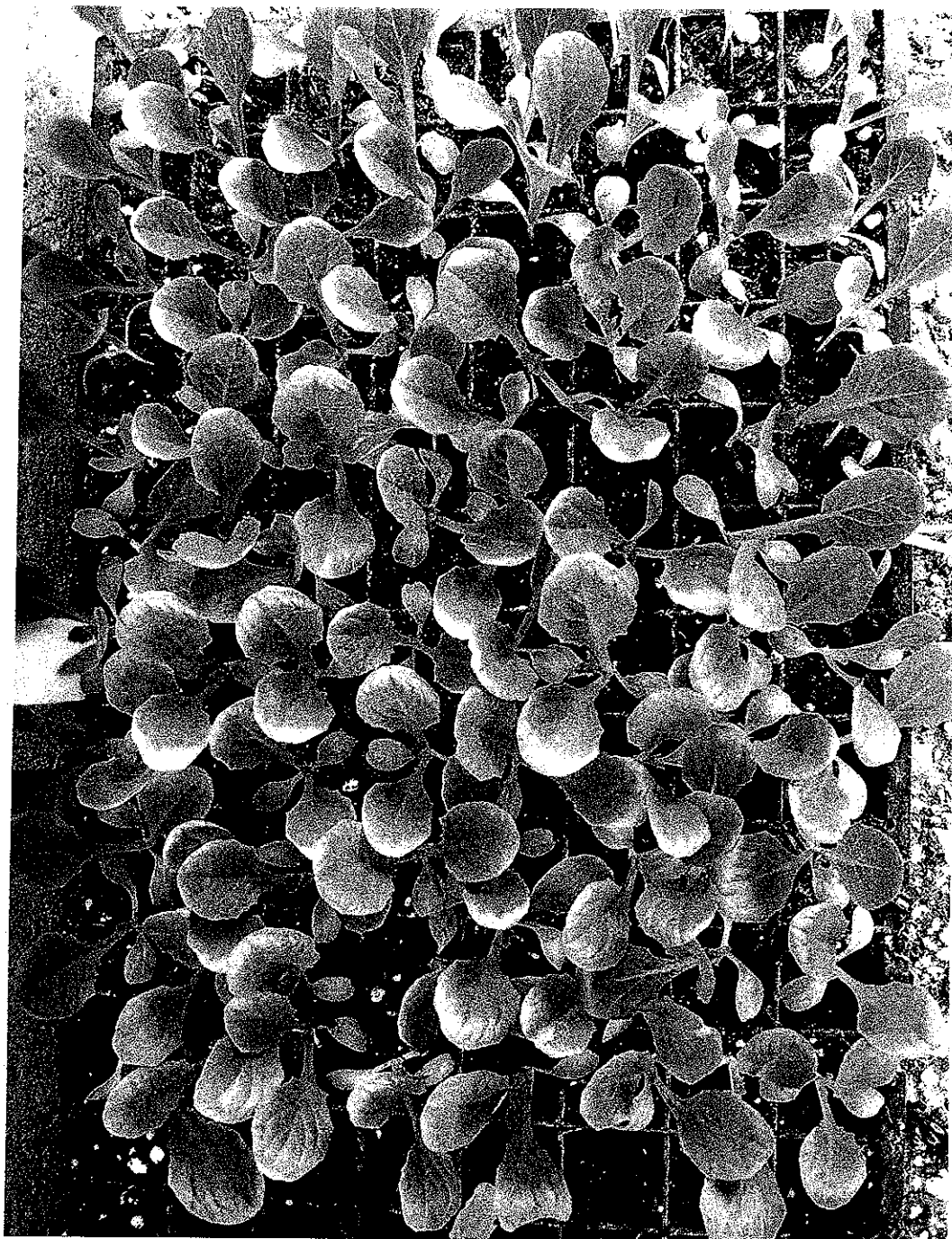
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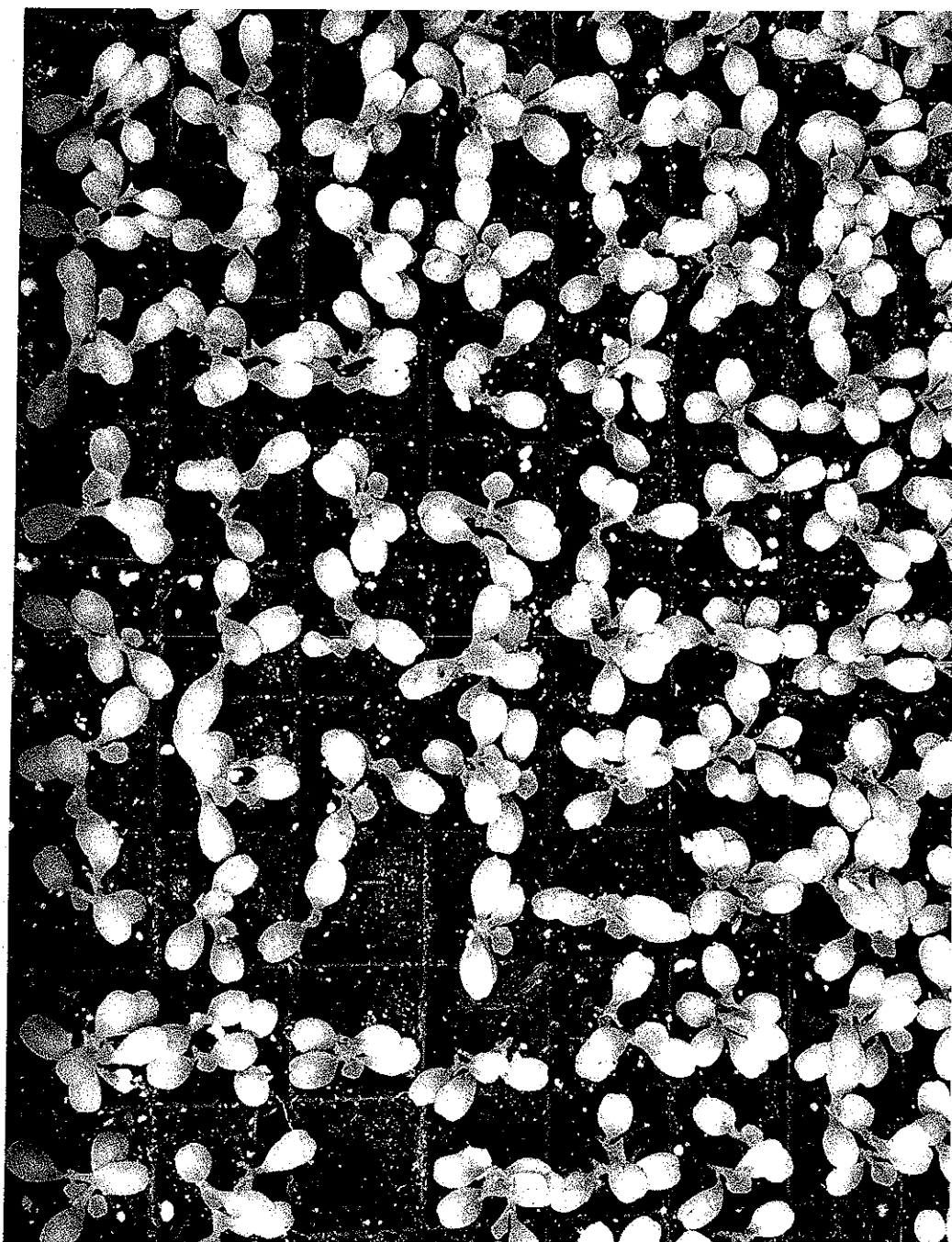
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SUGGESTED CHECK VARIETIES

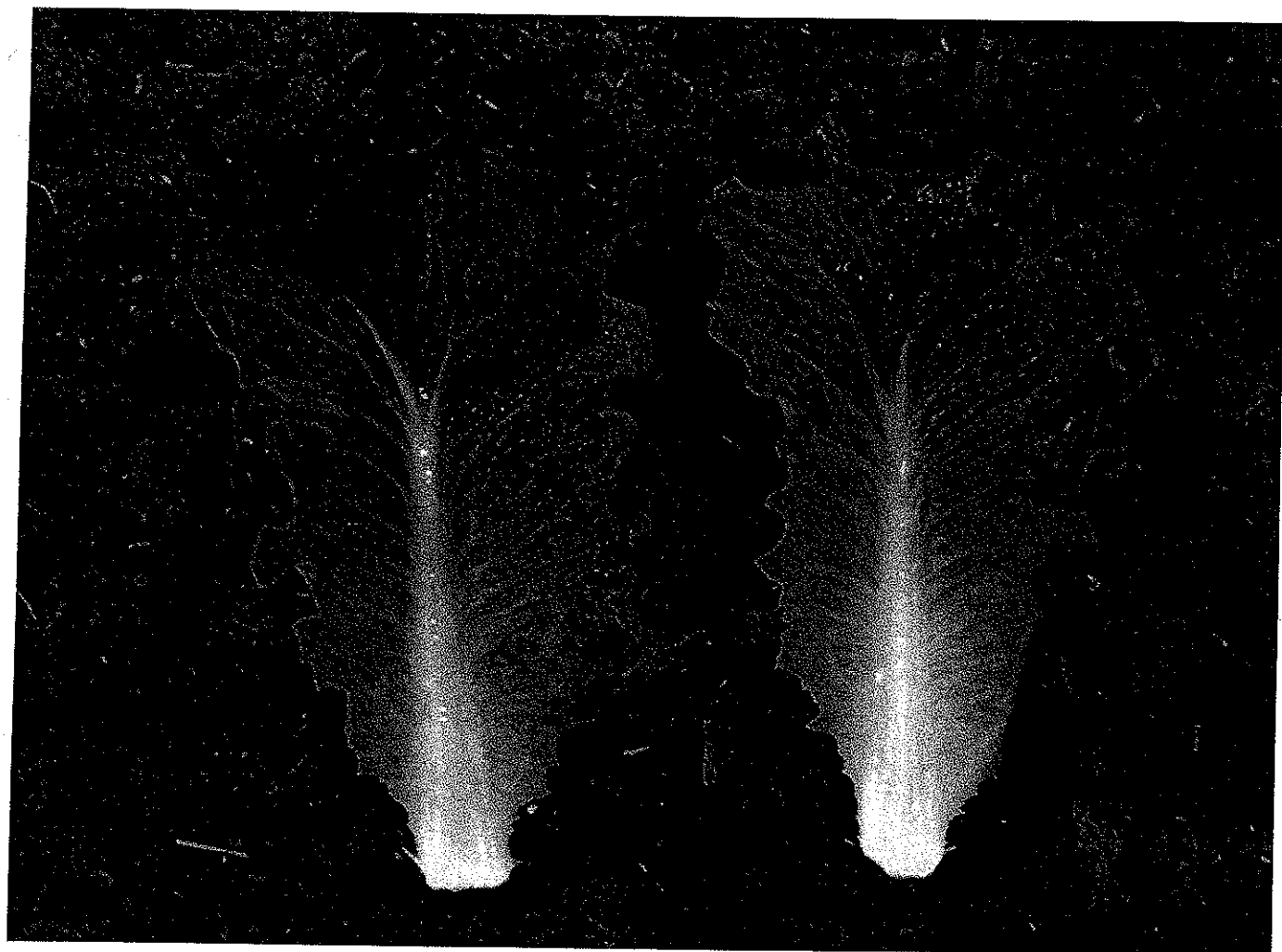
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 2) BUTTERHEAD
 3) BIBB
 4) COS, OR ROMAINE
 5) GREAT LAKES GROUP
 6) VANGUARD GROUP
 7) IMPERIAL GROUP
 8) EASTERN GROUP
 9) STEM
 10) LATIN

- CHECK VARIETY
 SALAD BOWL
 DARK GREEN BOSTON
 BIBB
 PARRIS ISLAND
 GREAT LAKES 559-700
 VANGUARD
 VIVA
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Cyclone Leafs



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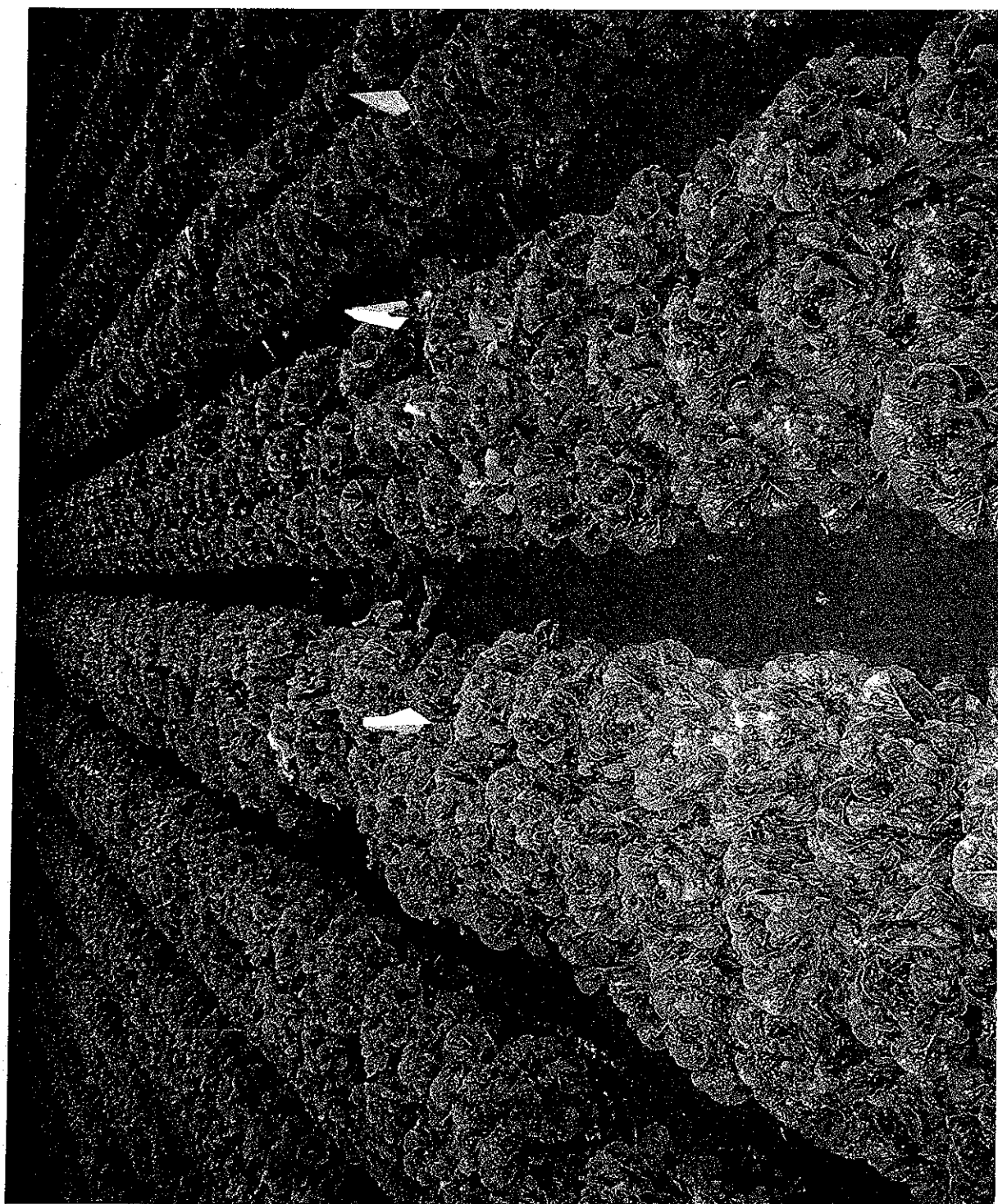
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Additional Variety Description:

Cyclone is a new and unique variety of romaine lettuce due to its dark color, and growth habit. The growth habit is distinct as it is slower growing and shorter in height than other romaine varieties. Cyclone is also distinguished by the uniformity, texture, and size of its leaves. This variety produces a higher than normal percentage of leaves of the same size. This is a benefit in the whole leaf pack, as more of the leaves from each plant can be used.



Cyclone



Cyclone Variety

King Henry Variety

10/1/76



Cyclone

Trial map #: PDS01027 Location: Salinas Ranch/lot: 5-6 north Date eval'd: 8/28/01
 Wet Date: 6/27/01 Grower: Royal Packing Commercial Vt PIC Eval by: dg ac

Date Mature	Days to Maturity	Color
Cyclone	66	7.5g/4
Major Cos	68	5g/4/8

Sample #	Core Diameter (mm)		Core Length (mm)		Heart Length (mm)		Head Length (mm)		Head length:Core Length		Frame diam (cm)		Head wt. (g)	
	Cyclone	Major Cos	Cyclone	Major Cos	Cyclone	Major Cos	Cyclone	Major Cos	Cyclone	Major Cos	Cyclone	Major Cos	Cyclone	Major Cos
1	35	43	35	43	180	210	230	290	7.1	6.7	33	36	685	549
2	40	40	55	40	180	200	210	260	3.8	6.5	30	41	806	838
3	39	45	49	45	180	230	230	290	4.7	6.4	29	38	702	537
4	40	52	56	52	160	240	210	300	3.8	5.8	28	40	737	635
5	39	43	54	43	190	240	250	310	4.6	7.2	30	39	830	497
6	42	45	59	45	180	270	230	310	3.9	6.9	32	38	892	721
7	40	40	51	40	200	240	240	310	4.7	7.8	31	39	456	575
8	41	39	56	39	170	180	210	280	3.8	7.2	33	40	719	659
9	42	42	40	42	160	240	200	320	5.0	7.6	33	41	707	641
10	40	40	42	40	210	210	250	300	6.0	7.5	28	40	714	799
11	41	39	49	39	210	230	230	320	5.1	8.2	32	39	461	475
12	40	45	49	45	170	210	220	290	4.3	6.4	33	38	639	644
Average	39.9	42.8	47.0	42.8	182.5	225.0	229.2	298.3	4.7	7.0	31.0	39.1	697.3	630.8
Stan dev	1.83E-00	3.72E+00	7.29E+00	3.72E+00	1.71E+01	2.39E+01	1.88E+01	1.75E+01	1.00E+00	6.86E-01	1.95E+00	1.44E+00	1.30E+02	1.13E+02
T test	2.72E-02		8.47E-03		5.23E-05		4.22E-09		1.56E-06		8.58E-11		1.95E-01	

Data highlighted in yellow indicates a statistically significant difference at a minimum 95% confidence level

Statistically Distinct	Confidence Level %
Core Diameter	97
Core length	99
Heart Length	99
Head length	99
Head length:Core Length	99
Frame diam	99
Leaf Length	99

Leaf Count	Leaf Length		Leaf Width	
	Major Cos	Cyclone	Major Cos	Cyclone
1	20	22	16	9
2	21	20	16	9
3	19	29	17	11
4	19	19	24	13
5	22	22	16	13
6	21	19	25	15
7	21	19	27	15
8	20	19	28	17
9	20	21	30	21
10	21	20	31	19
11	20	20	31	19
12	20	20	33	19
13			31	20
14			30	20
15			19	21
16			17	21
17			21	20
18			20	22
19			27	19
20			29	17
Average	20	21	26	17
Standard Dev	0.887625365	2.79067712	4.372047013	4.070432539
T-Test	0.560242129		193177E+05	0.334247376

Leaf length and leaf width numbers are measurements of the useable leaf from one plant.

Trial map #: PD801038 Location: Salinas Ranch/lot: 10/30/01 Date evald: 10/30/01
 Wet Date: 8/24/01 Grower: Costa/Mann Commercial Var: 10 Eval by: AC/DG

	Date Mature	Days to Maturity	Color
Cyclone	11/2/01	70	7.5g/4/4
Major Cos	10/30/01	67	5g/5/6

Sample #	Core Diameter (mm)		Core Length (mm)		Heart Length (mm)		Head Length (mm)		Head length: Core Length		Frame diam (mm)		Head wt. (g)	
	Major Cos	Cyclone	Major Cos	Cyclone	Major Cos	Cyclone	Major Cos	Cyclone	Major Cos	Cyclone	Major Cos	Cyclone	Major Cos	Cyclone
1	39	34	44	35	210	260	340	270	7.7	7.7	42	32	670	472
2	40	35	61	41	200	300	360	270	5.9	6.6	33	36	617	508
3	41	36	40	39	280	280	330	270	8.3	6.9	40	35	599	444
4	40	37	35	36	240	240	310	270	8.9	7.5	39	36	637	479
5	39	38	47	44	270	270	320	270	6.8	6.1	40	35	719	462
6	41	38	51	43	270	270	349	270	6.8	6.3	41	34	643	502
7	42	39	49	41	270	270	330	280	6.7	6.8	41	35	753	461
8	40	37	40	39	260	260	340	280	8.5	7.2	42	36	679	576
9	39	35	48	41	260	260	320	270	6.7	6.6	43	35	704	458
10	38	36	49	29	250	230	320	250	6.5	8.6	38	34	635	432
11	40	35	41	41	260	240	340	290	8.3	7.1	42	35	497	468
12	41	34	48	39	250	230	340	280	7.1	7.2	38	35	596	454
Average	40.0	36.2	46.1	39.0	264.2	220.8	333.3	272.5	7.3	7.1	39.9	34.8	645.8	476.3
Stan dev	1.13E+00	1.64E+00	6.73E+00	4.07E+00	1.56E+01	1.16E+01	1.43E+01	9.65E+00	9.38E-01	6.79E-01	2.71E+00	1.11E+00	6.73E+01	3.81E+01
T test	1.06E-06	5.00E-03			1.11E-07		2.78E-11		3.80E-01		4.81E-06		1.39E-07	

Data highlighted in yellow indicates a statistically significant difference at a minimum 95% confidence level

Trait	Statistically Distinct	Confidence Level %
Core Diameter		99
Core length		99
Heart Length		99
Head length		99
Frame diam		99
Head Weight		99
Leaf Length		99

Leaf length and leaf width numbers are measurements of the useable leaf from one plant.

Leaf Count/Plant	Leaf Length		Leaf Width	
	Major Cos	Cyclone	Major Cos	Cyclone
1	22	22	19	16
2	17	20	21	19
3	17	20	23	19
4	20	17	25	21
5	21	17	28	20
6	24	18	24	21
7	18	19	25	21
8	20	17	29	22
9	21	20	26	22
10	24	20	28	22
11	17	19	29	22
12	20	19	20	20
13			30	19
14			29	21
15			28	21
16			29	20
17			23	19
18			30	20
19			28	17
20			27	19
Average	20	19	26	20
Standard Dev	2.503028469	1.53741223	3.341918763	1.637552731
T-Test	0.214725829		3.83339E-03	

Average
Standard Dev
T-Test

Trial map #: RSV02026 Location: Soledad Ranch/lot: Salina 2 Date eval'd: 5/7/02
Wet Date: 2/4/02 Grower: Costa/Mann Commercial Va El Camino Real Eval by: dq/ac

	Date Mature	Days to Maturity	Color
Cyclone	5/13/02	98	7.5y4/6
Major Cos	5/7/02	92	5y4/6

Sample #	Core Diameter (mm)		Core Length (mm)		Heart Length (mm)		Head Length (mm)		Frame diam (cm)		Head wt. (g)	
	Major Cos	Cyclone	Major Cos	Cyclone	Major Cos	Cyclone	Major Cos	Cyclone	Major Cos	Cyclone	Major Cos	Cyclone
1	51	39	55	60	210	250	280	300	4.5	45	34	801
2	52	55	53	50	240	200	300	350	5.7	5.0	37	1034
3	52	52	55	61	270	220	330	380	6.0	4.6	32	788
4	56	37	65	60	270	190	340	450	5.2	4.5	37	939
5	55	39	75	61	270	200	350	400	4.7	4.4	34	1064
6	52	52	65	62	250	220	320	360	4.9	4.2	35	1082
7	52	37	60	65	300	210	340	400	5.7	4.2	30	1219
8	54	39	70	55	270	190	350	450	5.0	4.5	39	816
9	58	39	45	55	280	200	300	360	6.7	4.7	42	38
10	52	41	65	60	300	210	360	420	5.5	4.7	36	1175
11	56	36	70	65	280	210	340	400	4.9	4.0	38	970
12	41	55	50	62	290	220	380	450	7.6	4.4	35	993
Average	52.6	43.4	60.7	59.7	272.5	206.7	332.5	364.2	5.6	4.4	35.4	915.1
Stan dev	4.25E+00	7.61E+00	9.14E+00	4.36E+00	1.91E+01	1.07E+01	2.83E+01	1.08E+01	8.50E-01	3.17E-01	2.64E+00	1.42E+02
T test	1.44E-03		7.35E-01		5.91E-10		8.86E-08		2.80E-04		6.78E-08	1.32E-01

Sample #	Leaf Count/Plant		Leaf Length (mm)		Leaf Width (mm)		Leaf Thickness (mm)	
	Major Cos	Cyclone	Major Cos	Cyclone	Major Cos	Cyclone	Major Cos	Cyclone
1	45	35	251	231	100	141	0.93	0.95
2	39	32	272	192	142	126	0.91	1.22
3	39	28	292	221	145	136	0.84	0.97
4	36	28	283	245	146	154	0.72	0.99
5	42	26	321	198	156	110	0.74	0.95
6	41	39	291	233	152	182	0.80	0.93
7	38	37	320	218	182	152	0.70	0.95
8	37	35	331	227	221	144	0.98	0.98
9	44	34	303	242	196	180	0.86	0.96
10	44	34	331	243	211	155	0.97	0.82
11	31	32	310	248	185	180	0.83	0.98
12	43	32	331	254	219	187	0.95	0.99
13			336	262	210	177	0.92	0.82
14			320	218	181	141	0.91	0.82
15			320	237	190	152	0.75	0.99
16			314	239	200	180	0.74	0.97
17			293	252	210	178	0.83	1.47
18			291	248	200	159	0.93	1.29
19			306	238	202	162	0.91	0.96
20			313	233	194	160	0.85	0.91
Average	40	33	307	234	182	158	0.86	1.00
Standard Dev	4.077641081	3.845501111	22.04892884	17.79554941	31.8927478	20.9452787	0.087607894	0.158426473
T-Test	1.86E-04		6.80E-14		7.06E-03		1.31E-03	

Indicates that the varieties are significantly different for this trait at at least a 95% confidence level

Statistically Distinct	Confidence Level %
Core Diameter	98.6
Heart Length	99
Head Length	99
Head length:Core Length	99
Frame diam	99
Leaf Count/ Plant	99
Leaf Length	99
Leaf Width	99
Leaf Thickness	99

Trial map #: RSV02049 Location: Salinas Ranch/lot: 12-19 Date evald: 5/31/02
 Wet Date: 3/10/02 Grower: Domingo Commercial Var: Frontier Eval by: AC

	Date Mature	Days to Maturity	Color
Cyclone	6/7/02	89	7.5g/4
Major Cos	6/2/02	84	5g/4.8

Sample #	Core Diameter (mm)		Core Length (mm)		Heart Length (mm)		Head Length (mm)		Frame diam (mm)		Head wt. (g)	
	Major Cos	Cyclone	Major Cos	Cyclone	Major Cos	Cyclone	Major Cos	Cyclone	Major Cos	Cyclone	Major Cos	Cyclone
1	44	40	30	235	165	305	237	5.6	39	35	1182	925
2	40	36	64	240	190	341	262	4.4	35	32	953	979
3	40	41	65	243	162	337	229	5.2	39	33	1136	955
4	40	37	57	224	182	312	239	5.5	35	34	975	1120
5	39	37	62	255	179	319	252	5.1	41	33	853	875
6	37	36	49	205	192	277	269	5.7	38	32	948	805
7	45	35	37	226	203	282	262	7.6	38	32	1191	1040
8	43	40	64	226	179	322	239	5.0	34	34	702	786
9	37	32	51	216	172	277	249	5.4	38	38	758	995
10	35	45	67	209	159	299	237	4.5	38	33	885	1013
11	37	40	54	216	166	294	224	5.4	35	34	869	1156
12	39	42	67	226	169	304	205	4.5	39	34	1004	1286
Average	39.7	38.4	57.3	226.8	176.7	305.8	242.0	5.5	37.4	33.7	954.7	994.6
Stan dev	3.06E+00	3.55E+00	9.27E+00	1.46E+01	1.39E+01	2.15E+01	1.81E+01	8.17E-01	2.15E+00	1.67E+00	1.56E-02	1.44E+02
T test	3.66E-01		1.08E-01	1.64E-08		8.11E-08		4.82E-02	9.21E-05		5.22E-01	

Indicates that the varieties are significantly different for this trait at at least a 95% confidence level

Statistically Distinct Trait	Confidence Level %
Heart Length	99
Head length	99
Head length:Core Length	95.2
Frame diam	99
Leaf Count/ Plant	97.5
Leaf Length	99
Leaf Width	96.8
Leaf Thickness	97.4

Sample #	Leaf Count/ Plant		Leaf Length		Leaf Width		Leaf Thickness	
	Major Cos	Cyclone	Major Cos	Cyclone	Major Cos	Cyclone	Major Cos	Cyclone
1	37	24	274	132	168	0.50	0.80	0.80
2	37	31	276	142	192	0.60	0.60	0.80
3	35	36	271	130	125	0.50	0.50	0.80
4	32	31	254	176	186	0.50	0.50	0.60
5	26	35	271	135	177	0.40	0.80	0.80
6	32	27	236	148	146	0.50	0.50	0.50
7	35	35	237	142	152	0.40	0.50	0.50
8	34	31	241	132	144	0.90	0.60	0.60
9	39	29	262	163	164	0.70	0.70	0.70
10	38	36	255	154	168	0.60	0.50	0.50
11	40	29	263	174	136	0.40	0.70	0.70
12	37	33	228	149	189	0.50	0.50	0.50
13			269	152	186	0.60	0.60	0.60
14			279	162	163	0.50	0.50	0.50
15			252	139	139	0.50	0.50	0.50
16			266	166	142	0.50	0.50	0.50
17			248	148	160	0.50	0.50	0.50
18			256	145	169	0.60	0.60	0.60
19			229	139	163	0.60	0.80	0.80
20			259	132	159	0.50	0.80	0.80
Average	35	31	257	150	162	0.54	0.63	0.63
Standard Dev	3.83E+02	3.77E+02	15.52E+00	10.38E+00	18.92E+01	0.31E+01	0.13E+02	0.13E+02
T-Test	2.46E-02	4.83E-09	3.25E-02	2.56E-02				

Trial map #: PDS01027 Location: Salinas Ranch/lot: 5-6 north Date evald: 8/28/01
 Wet Date: 6/27/01 Grower: Royal Packing Commercial Var: PIC Eval by: dg ac

	Date Mature	Days to Maturity	Color
Cyclone	9/1/01	66	7.5g/4
Darkland Cos	8/28/01	62	5g/4.8

Sample #	Core Diameter (mm)		Core Length (mm)		Heart Length (mm)		Head Length (mm)		Head length:Core Length		Frame diam (cm)		Head wt. (g)	
	Cyclone	Darkland Cos	Cyclone	Darkland Cos	Cyclone	Darkland Cos	Cyclone	Darkland Cos	Cyclone	Darkland Cos	Cyclone	Darkland Cos	Cyclone	Darkland Cos
1	35	40	45	50	210	180	250	290	5.6	5.8	33	37	685	1008
2	40	39	40	60	200	180	210	280	5.3	4.7	30	39	806	529
3	39	42	45	50	190	180	230	260	5.1	5.2	29	39	702	999
4	40	42	40	40	210	160	210	290	5.3	7.3	28	40	737	825
5	39	43	50	59	190	190	250	290	5.0	4.9	30	38	830	913
6	42	40	50	50	180	180	230	270	4.6	5.4	32	36	892	1092
7	40	45	49	39	200	170	240	260	4.9	6.7	31	40	456	1048
8	41	42	43	63	170	170	210	300	4.9	4.6	33	39	719	880
9	42	46	35	39	220	160	200	310	5.7	5.3	33	40	707	862
10	40	43	55	55	210	210	250	310	4.5	5.6	28	35	714	849
11	41	41	55	55	210	210	250	290	4.5	5.3	32	36	461	843
12	40	42	43	52	170	170	220	270	5.1	5.2	33	38	659	910
Average	39.9	42.1	45.8	52.8	182.5	171E-01	229.2	285.0	3.75E-01	5.0	31.0	38.1	697.3	896.5
Stan dev	1.83E+00	2.02E+00	6.15E+00	7.78E+00	1.71E+01	1.60E-01	1.88E+01	1.73E-01	8.48E-02	7.78E-01	1.95E+00	1.73E+00	1.30E+02	1.45E+02
T test	1.16E-02		2.29E-02		1.27E-03		1.48E-07				3.66E-09		1.82E-03	

Data highlighted in yellow indicates a statistically significant difference at a minimum 95% confidence level

Statistically Distinct Trait	Confidence Level %
Core Diameter	99
Core length	98
Heart Length	99
Head length	99
Frame diam	99
Head Weight	99
Leaf Length	99

Leaf Count/Plant	Leaf Length		Leaf Width	
	Cyclone	Darkland Cos	Cyclone	Darkland Cos
1	20	22	16	9
2	20	20	16	9
3	20	29	17	12
4	19	19	19	14
5	20	22	16	12
6	21	19	20	15
7	22	19	25	15
8	22	19	26	18
9	19	21	26	16
10	22	20	28	15
11	22	20	29	17
12	22	20	30	17
13		28	21	18
14		30	21	20
15		31	21	18
16		31	21	18
17		19	20	19
18		20	20	19
19		27	19	17
Average	21	26	19	16
Standard Dev	1.215431087	2.79067712	3.300318964	2.010207868
T-Test	0.925501893	4.42705E-08	0.638773373	

Leaf length and leaf width numbers are measurements of the useable leaf from one plant.

Trial map #: PDS01038 Location: Salinas Ranch/lot: Tury Date eval'd: 10/30/01
 Wet Date: 8/24/01 Grower: Costa/Mann Commercial V'a 10 Eval by: AC/DG

	Date Mature	Days to Maturity	Color
Cyclone	11/2/01	70	7.5g/4/4
Darkland cos	10/31/01	68	5g/4/8

Sample #	Core Diameter (mm)		Core Length (mm)		Heart Length (mm)		Head Length (mm)		Head length:Core Length		Frame diam (cm)		Head wt. (g)	
	Darkland Cos	Cyclone	Darkland Cos	Cyclone	Darkland Cos	Cyclone	Darkland Cos	Cyclone	Darkland Cos	Cyclone	Darkland Cos	Cyclone	Darkland Cos	Cyclone
1	39	34	40	35	240	210	280	270	7.0	7.7	39	32	630	472
2	41	35	45	41	230	210	290	270	6.4	6.6	38	36	667	508
3	32	36	43	39	230	220	290	270	6.7	6.9	37	35	548	444
4	38	37	42	36	270	230	320	270	7.6	7.5	39	36	704	479
5	31	38	45	44	280	210	330	270	7.3	6.1	37	35	453	462
6	35	38	35	43	240	230	290	270	8.3	6.3	40	34	577	502
7	31	39	49	41	240	200	290	280	5.9	6.8	36	35	465	461
8	32	37	35	39	200	220	250	280	7.1	7.2	37	36	455	576
9	34	35	39	41	210	230	260	270	6.7	6.6	38	35	460	458
10	36	36	47	29	220	230	320	250	6.8	8.6	39	34	447	432
11	37	35	40	41	230	240	280	290	7.0	7.1	39	35	340	468
12	36	34	35	39	230	220	280	280	8.3	7.2	37	35	442	454
Average	35.2	36.2	41.3	39.0	235.0	220.8	290.8	272.5	7.1	7.1	38.0	34.8	515.7	476.3
Stan dev	3.27E+00	1.64E+00	4.77E+00	4.07E+00	2.24E+01	1.16E+01	2.35E+01	9.65E+00	7.00E-01	6.79E-01	1.21E+00	1.11E+00	1.09E+02	3.81E+01
T test	3.54E-01		2.27E-01		6.45E-02		2.03E-02		8.51E-01		1.03E-06		2.50E-01	

Data highlighted in yellow indicates a statistically significant difference at a minimum 95% confidence level

Statistically Distinct Trait	Confidence Level %
Head length	98
Frame diam	99
Leaf Length	99

Leaf Count/Plant	Leaf Length		Leaf Width	
	Darkland Cos	Cyclone	Darkland Cos	Cyclone
1	22	19	18	20
2	20	20	19	21
3	20	20	19	24
4	17	21	21	25
5	17	17	20	23
6	18	16	21	26
7	19	20	21	29
8	17	16	22	28
9	20	16	22	27
10	20	17	22	28
11	19	16	22	29
12	19	18	20	30
13			19	28
14			21	28
15			21	29
16			20	29
17			19	28
18			20	26
19			17	27
			19	16
Average	19	18	20	26
Standard Dev	1.55741223	1.906925173	1.663154193	3.166974992
T-Test	0.171295953		5.88922E-08	0.683826647

Leaf length and leaf width numbers are measurements of the useable leaf from one plant.

Trial map #: RSV02026 Location: Soledad Ranch/lot: Salinas 2 Date evald: 5/7/02
 Wet Date: 2/4/02 Grower: Costa/Mann Commercial Var: El Camino Real Eval by: dg/ac

	Date Mature	Days to Maturity	Color
Cyclone	5/13/02	98	7.2gy4/6
Darkland	5/7/02	92	5gy4/6

Sample #	Core Diameter (mm)		Core Length (mm)		Heart Length (mm)		Head Length (mm)		Head length:Core Length		Frame diam (mm)		Head wt (g)	
	Darkland	Cyclone	Darkland	Cyclone	Darkland	Cyclone	Darkland	Cyclone	Darkland	Cyclone	Darkland	Cyclone	Darkland	Cyclone
1	35	35	267	231	230	210	270	270	5.4	4.3	41	34	744	847
2	34	32	277	192	180	200	240	250	5.3	5.0	40	37	822	883
3	37	28	260	223	260	220	300	280	6.0	4.6	42	32	1065	777
4	37	28	270	245	220	190	300	270	6.0	4.5	41	37	987	993
5	35	26	262	198	230	200	270	270	4.9	4.4	42	34	955	945
6	40	32	30	55	250	220	300	260	6.0	4.2	40	35	1120	792
7	43	37	40	65	210	210	300	250	7.5	3.8	40	30	741	751
8	42	39	30	55	220	190	270	250	5.4	4.5	41	39	850	957
9	51	39	30	55	230	200	300	260	6.0	4.7	39	38	810	982
10	51	41	45	60	210	210	300	280	6.7	4.7	41	36	1175	1134
11	55	36	50	65	220	210	300	260	6.0	4.0	40	38	923	1036
12	39	55	45	62	200	220	280	270	6.2	4.4	38	35	707	884
Average	47.8	43.4	48.3	59.7	221.7	206.7	285.8	264.2	6.0	4.4	40.4	35.4	908.3	915.1
Stan dev	7.25E+00	7.61E+00	3.89E+00	4.36E+00	2.12E+01	1.07E+01	1.98E+01	1.08E+01	6.79E-01	3.17E-01	1.16E+00	2.64E+00	1.55E+02	1.14E+02
T test	1.67E-01		9.36E-07		4.00E-02		3.03E-03		5.41E-07		4.94E-06		9.03E-01	

Indicates that the varieties are significantly different for this trait at at least a 95% confidence level

Statistically Distinct Trait	Confidence Level %
Core Length	99
Heart Length	96
Head length	99
Head length:Core Length	99
Frame diam	99
Leaf Length	99
Leaf Thickness	99

Leaf Count/Plant	Leaf Length (mm)		Leaf Width (mm)		Leaf Thickness (mm)	
	Darkland	Cyclone	Darkland	Cyclone	Darkland	Cyclone
1	35	35	267	231	144	141
2	34	32	277	192	182	126
3	37	28	260	223	127	136
4	37	28	270	245	142	154
5	35	26	262	198	158	110
6	34	39	260	233	188	182
7	33	37	261	219	171	152
8	28	35	270	227	111	144
9	36	34	277	242	155	180
10	36	34	240	243	162	155
11	35	32	251	248	167	180
12	33	32	283	254	113	187
13			280	262	153	177
14			275	218	157	141
15			265	237	157	152
16			258	259	175	180
17			255	252	203	178
18			240	243	195	159
19			270	238	215	162
20			275	233	205	160
Average	34	33	266	234	164	158
Standard Dev	2.42903429	3.8450111	12.67654278	17.79554941	28.87905816	20.94252787
T test	1.96E-01		1.11E-07		4.42E-01	

Average

Standard Dev
T test

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Trial map #: RSV02049 Location: Salinas Ranch/lot: 12-19 Date eval'd: 5/31/02
 Wet Date: 3/10/02 Grower: D'Arrigo Commercial Va Frontier Eval by: AC

	Date Mature	Days to Maturity		Color
		6/7/02	89	
Cyclone				7.5gy4/4
Darkland	6/3/02	85		5gy3/6

Sample #	Core Diameter (mm)		Core Length (mm)		Heart Length (mm)		Head Length (mm)		Head length:Core Length		Frame diam (mm)		Head wt. (g)	
	Darkland	Cyclone	Darkland	Cyclone	Darkland	Cyclone	Darkland	Cyclone	Darkland	Cyclone	Darkland	Cyclone	Darkland	Cyclone
1	42	40	49	42	154	163	237	237	5.3	5.6	36	33	1060	925
2	38	36	49	59	170	190	239	262	4.9	4.4	38	32	1186	979
3	34	41	63	47	169	162	244	239	3.9	4.9	37	33	1119	955
4	45	37	57	57	184	182	233	239	5.0	4.2	36	34	1350	1120
5	44	37	67	59	179	179	292	252	4.4	4.3	39	33	1539	875
6	42	36	54	59	184	192	292	269	5.4	4.6	34	32	855	805
7	39	35	49	62	159	205	253	262	5.2	4.2	37	32	928	1040
8	39	40	43	57	157	179	259	239	6.0	4.2	37	34	1031	786
9	40	32	56	39	169	172	266	249	4.8	6.4	37	38	823	995
10	38	45	49	44	167	159	283	237	5.8	5.4	37	33	1005	1013
11	40	40	49	46	172	166	320	224	6.5	4.9	38	34	1420	1156
12	42	42	54	44	159	169	287	205	5.3	4.7	36	34	1270	1286
Average	40.3	38.4	53.3	51.3	168.6	176.7	273.1	242.0	5.2	4.8	36.8	33.7	1132.2	994.6
Stan dev	2.99E+00	3.55E+00	6.76E+00	8.25E+00	1.01E+01	1.39E+01	2.37E+01	1.81E+01	7.18E-01	6.83E-01	1.27E+00	1.67E+00	2.26E+02	1.44E+02
T test	1.85E-01		5.23E-01		1.17E-01		1.54E-03		1.91E-01		3.00E-05		8.97E-02	

Indicates that the varieties are significantly different for this trait at at least a 95% confidence level

Statistically Distinct Trait	Confidence Level %
Head length	98.5
Frame diam	99
Head Weight	91
Leaf Length	99
Leaf Thickness	96.5

Sample #	Leaf Count/Plant		Leaf Length		Leaf Width		Leaf Thickness	
	Darkland	Cyclone	Darkland	Cyclone	Darkland	Cyclone	Darkland	Cyclone
1	41	24	227	171	168	168	0.70	0.80
2	36	31	210	158	192	192	0.70	0.80
3	37	36	266	220	152	125	0.60	0.80
4	36	31	269	222	160	186	0.80	0.60
5	32	35	264	219	192	177	0.60	0.80
6	38	27	252	235	171	146	0.60	0.50
7	36	35	233	243	168	152	0.60	0.50
8	36	31	245	234	138	144	0.50	0.60
9	38	29	220	238	152	164	0.50	0.70
10	29	36	257	232	157	168	0.40	0.50
11	37	29	247	215	178	136	0.50	0.70
12	36	33	277	204	174	189	0.50	0.50
13			240	223	154	186	0.50	0.60
14			283	219	149	165	0.40	0.50
15			279	225	146	139	0.50	0.50
16			233	214	139	142	0.50	0.50
17			275	239	148	160	0.40	0.50
18			229	209	175	169	0.40	0.60
19			219	228	175	163	0.50	0.80
20			243	238	159	159	0.70	0.80
Average	36	31	250	223	161	162	1	0.630
Standard Dev	3.015113446	3.776923552	21.431009553	10.88166009	14.23709018	18.92227871	0.1145931	0.130182059
T-Test	3.38E-03		5.43E-05		8.96E-01		3.46E-02	

Whole Leaf Process Data

Data produced by Fresh Leaf Farms, LLC in conjunction with Mann Packing

Process Date	Trays Processed		Total Cartons		Pack Out %	
	Cyclone	Frontier	Cyclone	Frontier	Cyclone	Frontier
15-May	392	828	630	919	1.61	1.11
3-Aug	707	569	781	600	1.1	1.05
22-Aug	662	812	955	962	1.44	1.18
27-Aug	924	868	1091	839	1.18	0.97
23-Sep	1092	1104	1121	1029	1.03	0.93
	755.4	836.2	915.6	869.8	1.272	1.048
	2.67E+02	1.90E+02	2.09E+02	1.66E+02	2.44E-01	1.02E-01
	5.96E-01		7.11E-01		4.63E-02	

This data compares the pack out proportion of the lettuce varieties Cyclone and Frontier. The pack out number is the proportion of total cartons (finished product) generated from a single tray of product. All trays contain 24 harvested romaine plants. All finished cartons are 10 pounds of processed and stacked whole leaves of romaine, all of which meet a specific size requirement.

For example, based on the May 15 data:

For Cyclone, 1.61 finished 10 pound cartons were produced from a single tray of 24 romaine plants.

For Frontier, 1.11 finished 10 pound cartons were produced from a single tray of 24 romaine plants.

Based on the 5 compared dates, Cyclone is statistically higher yielding in this patented process at a 95% confidence level.

Definition of the plant characteristics as measured in our trials:

1. The romaine plant is cut according to fresh market standards, at market maturity. The plant is weighed, the core diameter is measured, and then the plant is sliced vertically.
2. We define the heart as the part of the plant enclosed by the outer most cupping leaf. This area is the densest part of the plant and the color varies from white to yellow to light green as the leaves mature.
3. For our evaluation purposes the heart length is measured from the base of the cut plant stem (core) to the tip of the outer most cupping leaf that forms the heart.
4. The stem length is measured from the base of the cut stem to the stem tip, at market maturity.
5. Head height is measured vertically from the base of the cut stem to the tip of the margin of the longest leaf.
6. Head height differs from plant height. Plant height would be the total plant height of the growing plant from the top of the bed to the highest part of the plant. Head height is a measurement of the plant height once cut to market standards.



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Trialing Protocol for Intellectual Property Protection.

I. Set Up

1. Parental lines and competing varieties are identified.
2. Primary slots are identified.
3. Necessary accession lines are located and purchased/received from seed dealers or growers.
4. All varieties are assigned a number to maintain integrity, and anonymity.
5. Trials are set up in the Progeny warehouse with all necessary varieties. Variety arrangement for trial is diagramed.

II. Planting

1. Commercial plantings are located by contacting commercial growers during the planting slot recommended for the variety.
2. Field is located during commercial planting, and the necessary rows and area is marked off by a Progeny employee with proper training.
3. Varieties are planted according to diagram, in 100 ft. ranges.
4. All varieties are planted in same manner, to mimic the planting of the commercial variety as closely as possible.
5. A trial map is drawn diagramming the trial, the trial location in the field, and directions to the field.

III. Maintenance

1. All varieties are treated identically. The grower handles all watering, fertilization, and pest control, as if it was no different from the commercial field it is grown with.
2. Thinning of the trial is done by a crew contracted by the commercial grower.

IV. Evaluation

1. Evaluations are done as near to the time of the commercial harvest as possible by knowledgeable Progeny employees.
2. The evaluation is conducted "blindly". The evaluator(s) do not have the key to the trial at the time of evaluation.
3. 24 heads of each variety are evaluated.
 - a. The frame diameter of 12 random plants are measured to the nearest cm.
 - b. 12 mature heads of each variety are cut to market specs.
 - c. The heads are carried to an adequate work station
 - d. The following measurements are then conducted and recorded:
 1. Each head is weighed to the nearest gram.
 2. The core diameter of each head is measured to the nearest mm.
 3. The heads are then sliced in to halves, discarding 1 half.
 4. The core lengths (from the cut stem to the core tip) are measured to the nearest mm.
 5. The heart lengths (from the cut stem to the tip of the longest heart leaf) are measured to the nearest mm.
 6. The head length (from the cut stem to the tip of the longest leaf) is measured to the nearest mm.
 7. The ideal maturity or harvest date is then estimated based on the solidity of the head, the core length and any other physiological characteristics present.
 8. The leaf color is documented using the Munsell Color Charts for Plant Tissue.
 - e. From these measurements, we then use an Excell program to calculate the averages, the standard deviations and the T-Tests for the compared varieties.

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1. NAME OF APPLICANT(S) PROGENY ADVANCED GENETICS, INC.	2. TEMPORARY DESIGNATION OR EXPERIMENTAL NUMBER PX 408	3. VARIETY NAME CYCLONE
4. ADDRESS (Street and No., or R.F.D. No., City, State, and ZIP, and Country) 1536 B MOFFETT ST SALINAS CA 93905	5. TELEPHONE (include area code) 831-751-6030	6. FAX (include area code) 831-751-6032
7. PVPO NUMBER 200300054		

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If no, give name of country ☒ YES ☐ NO10. Is the applicant the original owner? ☒ YES ☐ NO If no, please answer one of the following:

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2. If the rights to the variety are owned by the company which employed the original breeder(s), the company must be U.S. based, owned by nationals of a UPOV member country, or owned by nationals of a country which affords similar protection to nationals of the U.S. for the same genus and species.
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